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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

OCT 12 2010

FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

**MATTHEW J. DYKMAN**  
CLERK

Plaintiff(s),

-vs-

Civil No. 10 CV 965 GWB/LFG

Defendant(s).

**CONSENT TO PROCEED / REFUSAL TO CONSENT TO PROCEED  
BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Rule 73(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the above-entitled action has been assigned to United States Magistrate Judge:

GWB / LFG

to conduct all proceedings in this case, including trial, entry of final judgment, and all post-judgment proceedings. Exercise of this jurisdiction by a U. S. Magistrate Judge is permitted only if all parties consent. Indicate below if you consent to the assignment or if you refuse to consent:

Consent

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Party(s)

Refuse

Edward O'Finnegan, Plaintiff, Pro se  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Party(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

12 Oct 2010  
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Date

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